PACT. NEWS, AND GOSSIP. trems and Cleveland-Personal Serve trems-The Arctic Explorers-The Extra tension Question.

[From Our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, February 11.—A

well, Pendleton won't accept the English mission." "Does he prefer ice?" said I. "Oh, no," he replied. "Then, why not? He is an ccomplished gentleman, of large fortune and high social position—qualities very essential," I added, "for a residence in London or Paris." "He says," he replied, " that he is the father of civil-service reform, and it would violate the spirit of his civil-service ill: for if Mr. Lowell is removed for cause he should be succeeded by the first Secretary of Legation, who is a trained diplomatist. I remarked, "Civil service only applies to small officials." "Yes," said he to clerks and messengers, who are required to know who was the great-grandfather of 'the False Prophet,' the depth of the Black sea, the year Queen Catherine of Russia fell in love with Count Onoloski, and the distance from Cape Charles to Little Egg Harbor. He here asked me for a chew of fine cut and went into the House as the re turns from Nebraska were being an

JUDGE THURMAN AND MR. CLEVE-LAND.

It will be remembered that Mr. Randall went to New York with a commit tee and extended an invitation to the President-elect to attend the reception of the Americus Club of that city, composed of prominent Democrats. reception takes place on the 16th. I now hear that Judge Thurman, of Ohio, will also attend, so that he and Mr. Cleveland will meet. The citizens of Ohio here see in this a good deal, and think it will result in Thurman going into the Cabinet.

PERSONAL NEWS ITEMS.

General Fitz Lee was at the Capitol day. The friends of ex-Mayor Courtland Smith, of Alexandria, say he will be made Marshal of the District of Co lumbia. He has a strong backing. A first-class Cabinet-maker says if Bayard is not Secretary of State Lamar will be; that Garland, beyond any question, will be Attorney-General; that either Whitney Manning or Hewitt will be Secretary of the Treasury, and that if Vilas goes into the Cabi-net he will be Secretary of War. Mr. Blackburn presided again to-day in consequence of the continued illness of Speaker Carlisle. Mr. Randall was so hoarse to-day that he could scarcely be heard in the House. James R. Randall, editor of the Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle, will visit Richmond on the 17th to attend a wedding. Mr. Clay, ose resolution to appoint a commit tee of two Representatives and one Senator to visit the President- and Vice President-elect and inform them of their election was adopted by the House, is a Kentuckian, but no kin to Henry Clay. Justice Miller was the only member of the Supreme Court present when the electoral vote was counted to-day. Secretary Teller alone of the members of the Cabinet was present. Major Elder, of Staunton, is here en route home from New York. The Texas people want ex-Governor Hubbard in the Cabinet.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS

The returned Arctic explorers con tinue to abuse each other, though the papers and a great many people wish they had eaten each other up. Apropos, the thermometer early this morning indicated 3 degrees above zero A leading member of the House said

to me to-day that if the Republicans forced an extra session it would not b called until summer.

The mails were all behind hand to-

The Inauguration Committee have an ranged for decorating the streets through which the procession will pass. It seems to be more active than the committee of four years ago.

A New York gentleman told me today that Hon, John Goode was one of the best talkers that has visited Mr.

The papers here and farther North persist in calling Major Daniel "Major

The hotels and merchants are pleased at the rumor that there will be an extra session. A senator predicts that the extra session of that body for the confirmation of Mr. Cleveland's nomina-

tions will last a month.

Government receipts to-day: Internal revenue, \$115,059; customs, \$183,593. The Brooklyn people ask that the appropriation for their post-office building be increased from \$800,000 to \$1,500,000.

XLVIIITH CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11, 1885. Senate. The army appropriation bill was re

ported and placed on the calendar. At five minutes before 12 o'clock i message was received announcing that the House of Representatives would at 12 o'clock be ready to receive the Senate, in order that the joint convention of both houses may count the electora!

The Chair aumounced that the concurrent resolution providing for a joint convention would now be executed; and at 11:57 the senators, headed by the President pro tempore and the Sec-retary of the Senate, and preceded by the Sergeant-at-Arms, proceeded to the

House of Representatives.
At 1:25 P. M. the senators returned to the Senate chamber, and the President pro tempore of the body having resumed the chair, the tellers on the part of the Senate-Messrs, Hoar and Pendleton-appeared, and on their be half Mr. Hoar announced the result of the electoral count. When the tellers' report was completed, the President of the Senate repeated verbatim the closing sentence of the announcement made by him in the House of Representatives relating to the declaration o the vote. That sentence was as follows : "And the President of the Senate makes this declaration only as a public statement, in the presence of the two houses of Congress, of the contents of the papers opened and read on this occasion, and not as possessing any authority in law to declare any legal

conclusion whatever." Mr. Conger said that he desired, as one of the members of the Senate, to say that he entirely dissented from the de-ciaration that the President of the Senate or Vice-President had no other power n announcing that vote than to ounce the fact, and he did not know by what authority the sentence quoted had been made a part of the declaration.

Mr. Sherman said: I also wish for myself—having put on record my opinion on this question at other times—to sgain assert and put on times—to again assert and parton record my opinion that the declaration made was the declaration of a gentle-man who presided on that occasion ex-pressing his own opinion, and should not be taken as a precedent, except so

esident of the United Stand exercised constitution wer when he presided over the way and counted the vote, and that day and counted the vote is a conis announcement of the vote is a con-lusive end of all argument upon the uestion, and in doing so he not only ave his own opinion as the result of ertain papers given to him, but he hade the only constitutional declara-on provided for under existing law of the is to be President of the United

After remarks from Messrs, Hoar, Lapham, Wilson, and Ingalls on the subject the Chair (Mr. Edmunds) said he regarded the Senate as in no way responsible for the declaration made by m. He had performed his constitu-mal duty, and had on his own re-onsibility made the declaration re-

Resolved, That the Senate does not assent to the concluding declaration of the President of the Senate in the announcement of the vote for President and Vice-President of the United States made in the presence of the two houses of Congress this day.

Mr. Bayard: Let that go over till

o-morrow.

The resolution went over accordingly.

Mr. Hoar offered the following:

Whereas the Senate having met the

House of Representatives in accordance with the fifth section of the act of March, 1792, relative to the election of President and Vice-President of the United States, and the electoral votes having been opened by the President of the Senate in the presence of the two houses of Congress and counted by the tellers appointed on the part of the two houses; and it appearing that the whole number of electors appointed to vote for President and Vice-President of the United States is 401, of which a ma-jority is 201; and it further appearing that Grover Cleveland, of New York had received 219 votes for President of the United States, and that Thomas A. Hendricks, of Indiana, had received 219 votes for Vice-President of the United States, which is a majority of the votes of the whole number of electors appointed; and the same having been duly declared by the President of the Senate in the presence of the two houses:

Resolved. That the Senate is of opinion that the Constitution and laws have been duly executed and that no further declaration of these facts is necessary.

Messrs. Conger and Ingalls: Let
that stand over till to-merrow.

It went over accordingly.

The Senate resumed consideration of the bill to repeal the preemption and sideration the Senate went into executive session, and soon after adjourned.

THE ILLINOIS SENATORSHIP.

A Ballot Taken Vesterday, with No Election-The Republicans Refuse to Vote.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] CHICAGO, February 11.—A dispatch to the *Journal* from Springfield says: After some roll-calls, including a call of the House, on which the Re publicans did not vote and fifty-six Democrats did, Mr. Hamilton moved to proceed to elect United States senator. Speaker Haines refused to entertain the point of order that no quorum was present, and ordered the clerk to pro ceed with the roll-call, which resulted Morrison, 46; Haines, 1; Richard Bishop, 1. Mr. Morgan, of county, voted for Mr. Haines on the ground that he could not vote for a Free-Trader. Mr. Haines voted for Bishop. During the roll-call the Republicans left the House. The mocrats voted to invite the Senate to a joint session at noon, and then took a

The Senate met with seven Republicans and three Democrats absent. The Republicans broke the quorum, when Senator Merrett moved to adjourn till 11:30 o'clock, which was carried.

When the Senate reconvened the Democrats tried to have the Clerk of the House recognized, but the President without a quorum. A few minutes before 12 o'clock the Democrats rose in a body and marched over to the House. The remaining senators carried a motion to adjourn.

When the senators and representatives had assembled Mr. Haines said, ceived by messenger."

as he understood the law, it made The certificate was no difference whether a quorum was present or not. The perative that a vote should be taken. The roll-call resulted : In the Senate-Morrison, 22. In the House-Morri son, 52; and Haines, 1. Mr. Morgan voted for Haines and Haines voted for Morrison. The Democrats applauded when Mr. Haines's vote was announced. Mr. Haines announced "no quorum" and no election, and that the balloting

would be resumed at noon to-morrow The senators then left. Mrs Budley Remanded to the Tombs

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)
NEW YORK, February 11.—Mrs. Lucille Yseult Dudley, who shot O'Donovan Rossa, and who is now confined in the Tombs, was to-day taken to the Supreme Court on a writ of habeas corpus. The court-room was thronged with spectators. Her counsel clain that as she had not been convicted of any offence she should be released from imprisonment or admitted to bail. Counsel for the prosecution argued that Mrs. Dudley was held to await Rossa's ability to appear against her as a witness. Counsel for the accused said that the writ had been applied for be cause it had been publicly stated that Rossa did not himself propose to pros-ecute the woman. The physicians who had examined Rossa said that he was able to appear and testify. There was no reason why the examinatio skould not proceed. Mrs. Dudley felt that she ought to be informed of who her accuser was. Counsel for the prosecution stated that he assumed that the

people would take the usual course in this case for an assault upon the street. Judge Donahue declared that he would not interferee with the policemagistrate in the matter.

Counsel for prosecution then asked to have the writ dismissed and the prisoner remanded; and Judge Donahue

granted the request. Mrs. Dudley's counsel stated that he would apply immediately to the police-magistrate to have an examination or

for the release of the prisoner. Suit Against the Detroit Prec Press.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)
DETROIT, February 11.—Ex-Prose cuting-Attorney James Caplis began an action to-day against the Free Press, alleging libel, and asking for \$25,000 damages. The Free Press stated that he drew unlawfully from the treasury of Wayne county, with unlawful con-nivance with the county auditor, the sum of \$2,562 under pretext of services rendered in drawing up the revision of the act to establish the Detroit

Police Court.

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[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]
WASHINGTON, D. C., February 11.
The condition of Speaker Carlisle is much improved to-day, and his physician thinks he will be able to get out as soon as the weather moderates. FORMAL FIGURING.

ELECTORAL VOTES COUNTED.

WASHINGTON, February 11.—The deries of the House were not opened galleries of the House were not opened until 10:15 this morning, and for a long time before that hour the crowd of spec tators remained patiently in the corridors. When admission was at last allowed the visitors hastened in to secure choice seats, and in a few moment the galleries were filled and the step the galleries were in-places. That por-tion of the gallery reserved for the families and friends of senators and representatives was occupied mainly by ladies, while the portion given up to the general public was almost exclusively ladies, while the portion given up to the general public was almost exclusively filled with gentlemen. The Executive gallery was vacant, and one diplomat sat in solitary state in the gallery reserved for the Diplomatic Corps.

Mr. Townshend offered a resolution providing that during the remainder of the session the daily hour for the meeting of the House shall be 11 o'clock. Referred.

Mr. McMillan offered a resolution di recting the Doorkeeper to admit to the floor ladies having tickets issued for members' gallery during the joint session for counting the electoral vote.

Mr. Hewitt, of Alabama, made the point of order that the resolution changed a rule of the House, and must

go to the Committee on Rules. The Speaker pro tem. (Mr. Black-burn) overruled the point of order, and the resolution was adopted by a vote of

sideration Mr. Springer remarked that as this was the day which let the outs" in a Democrat should oppose Mr. Follett, from the Com Appropriations, reported back the District-of-Columbia appropriation bill with several amendments, recom

While the motion was un

non-concurrence in others of those amendments. The recommendations were agreed to. Messrs. Follett, Hutchins, and Cannon

mending the concurrence in some and

were appointed conferrees. Mr. Springer, from the Committee o Expenditures in the Department of Justice, reported a bill relating to the compensation of marshals and other United States officers. Referred to the House calendar. [This is the bill which was incorporated in the last sundry civil bill, but which was stricken therefrom

in the Senate.]
On motion of Mr. Keifer, the Clerk of the House was directed to inform the Senate that at 12 o'clock the House would be prepared to receive that body in conformity with the provisions of concurrent resolution relating to the

ounting of the electoral votes.

At a few minutes before 12 o'clock the Speaker pro tem. requested the members to clear the two first rows of seats for the accommodation of the

senators. At precisely 12 o'clock the Senate of ited States was announced, and, headed by Mr. Edmunds and the officers of that body, the senators filed in and took the seats assigned them, the President of the Senate seating himself by Acting-Speaker Blackburn.

Mr. Edmunds, in calling the assem-bly to order, said: "The two houses of Congress have met in pursuance the Constitution and laws and concur rent resolution for the purpose of exe-cuting the duty required by the Constitution and laws in the matter of counting the electoral vote for President and Vice-President of the United States cast by the electors of the several States for the term commencing the 4th March, 1885. The tellers appointed by the two houses will please take

their places." Senators Hoar and Pendleton and Representatives Clay and Keifer having taken their places at the Clerk's desk, Mr. Edmunds said : "The President of the Senate will open the certificates of the several States in alphabetical order, ruled that he could recognize no one and now opens the certificate for the State of Alabama. He hands to the chairman of the tellers on the part of the Senate the certificate from Alabama received by mail and to the chairman of the tellers on the part of the House of Representatives the certificate re-

> The certificate was read by Senator Hoar and announced ten electoral votes for Grover Cleveland for President and ten electoral votes for Thomas A. Hendricks for Vice-President.

> Mr. Sherman asked unanimous con sent that only the operative parts of the certificates be read, the formal parts being inspected by the tellers. This was agreed to, and only the statement of votes cast was read.

The certificate from Arkansas ounced that the seven votes of that State had been cast for Cleveland and Hendricks.

The certificate from California an ounced that the eight votes of that State had been cast for Blaine and Lo-

The certificate from Colorado announced that the three votes of that State had been cast for Blaine and Lo-

The certificate from Connecticut announced that the six votes of that State had been cast for Cleveland and Hendricks. The certificate from Delaware

nounced that the three votes of that State had been cast for Cleveland and Hendricks. The certificate from Florida an ounced that the four votes of that State had been cast for Cleveland and

Hendricks. The certificate from Georgia anounced that the twelve votes of that State had been cast for Cleveland and

Hendricks.

The reading of the certificates was continued, and the votes were recorded as follows: Illinois, Blaine and Logan, 22; Indiana, Cleveland and Hendricks, Iowa, Blaine and Logan, 13; Kan-Blaine and Logan, 9; Kentucky. Cleveland and Hendricks, 13; Louisiana, Cleveland and Hendricks, 8; Maine, Blaine and Logan, 6; Maryland, Cleveland and Hendricks, 8; Massachusetts, Blaine and Logan, 14; Michigan, Blaine and Logan, 13; Minnesota, Blaine and Logan, 7; Mississippi, Cleveland and Hendricks, 9: Miss uri. Cleveland and Hendricks, 16; Nebraska, Blaine and

New Hampshire, Blaine and Logan, New Jersey, Cleveland and Hendricks, 9. The certificate from New York anounced that the thirty-six votes of that State had been cast for Cleveland

Logan, 5; Nevada, Blaine and Logan,

and Hendricks This certificate was read by Mr. Clay. of Kentucky, and as some vague rumors were in the air this morning that trouble would be made over the counting of the vote of New York, a murmur Indiana, has been duly elected Vice-President of the United States, agreeaof relief went up when Mr. Clay fin-ished reading and announced that the certificate of electors was certified to by Grover Cleveland, Governor.

The manifestation of appla promptly suppressed by Mr. Edmunds, who ordered the Sergeant-at-Arms to son" who disturbed the order of the

ings by applause or other mani-

The certificate from the State of North Carolina announced 11 votes for Cleveland and Hendricka; Ohio, 23 for Blaine and Logan; Oregoa, 3 for Blaine and Logan; Pennsylvania, 30 for Blaine and Logan; Rhode Island, 4 for Blaine and Logan; South Carolina, 9 for Cleveland and Hendricks; Tennessee, 12 for Cleveland and Hendricks; Texas, 13 for Cleveland and Hendricks; Vermont, 4 for Blaine and Logan; Virginia, 12 for Cleveland and Hendricks; West Virginia, 6 for Cleveland and Hendricks; Wisconsin, 11 for Blaine and Logan.

Mr. Edmunds then rose and said "I have now opened the certificates of the electors of all the States, and their votes have been reported. The tellers will now make their computation and report the state of the vote."

After the tellers had devoted them-

selves to figuring for several minutes Senator Hoar read and handed the result of their computation to the pre-siding officer, who said : "Senators and Gentlemen of the

House of Representatives,—The tellers have reported to the presiding officer the state of the vote, from which it appears that Grover Cleveland, of the State of New York, has received 219 votes for the office of President of the United States; that James G. Blaine, of the State of Maine, has received 182 rotes for the same office; that Thomas A. Hendricks, of the State of Indiana, as received 219 votes for the office of Vice-President of the United States, and that John A. Logan, of the State of Illinois, has received 182 votes for

the same office.
"Wherefore, I do declare that Grover Cleveland, of the State of New York, has received a majority of votes of the whole number of electors appointed as they appear in the certificates read by the tellers, and so appears to have been elected President of the United States for four years, commencing on the 4th day of March, 1885; and that Thomas A. Hendricks, of the State of Indiana, has received a majority of votes of the whole number of votes of the whole number of electors appointed as they appear in the certificates read by the tell-ers, and so appears to have been elected Vice-President of the United States for four years, commencing on the 4th day of March, 1885; and the President of the Senate makes this declaration only as a public statement in the presence of the two houses of Congress of the contents of the papers opened and read on this occasion, and not as possessing any authority on law to declare any legal

onclusion whatever."

Here the immense audience broke into applause and cheers, which the ling officer attempted to suppress.

out with little success The Senate at 1:20 o'clock then retired to its chamber, and the House

took a recess for fifteen minutes. On the House being called to order Mr. Keifer, of Ohio, offered a resolu tion reciting the result of the joint courention of the two houses, and declaring that it is the sense of the House that the Constitution and law have been duly executed, and that no further declarations of these facts is necessary

Mr. Springer, of Illinois, said that it seemed from the announcement of the presiding officer of the joint convention that there was no declaration of the vote. Contrary to all precedent, the Vice-President had simply said that it appeared from the count made by the tellers that Grover Cleveland received a certain number of votes, but had dislaimed any intention to make any official declaration of the result of that vote. He preferred that the matter should be referred to the Judiciary Committee, with instructions to report such a resolution as may be necessary for the purpose of making known the

result of the election. The Speaker pro tem., the presiding officer of the joint convention, in making the announcement of the vote anand simply added a disclaimer of any authority on his part, as presiding offi-cer of the Senate or of the joint convention, to make any declaration at all. Mr. Spripger : I move that the whole

matter be referred to the Judiciary Committee. The Speaker: In the judgment of the Chair the declaration made by the

presiding officer was exactly what it should have been. Mr. Springer: I have not asked the

Speaker for his opinion; I desire to state my own. Mr. Speaker: The Chair, acting as

an officer representing the House in the joint convention, would have made a protest if any improper declaration by the presiding officer had been delivered. Mr. Randall said that the vote of the electors had been appounced, and that any ministerial proceeding was not es sential to the main fact that Grover Cleveland had been elected.

Mr. Hammond thought the convention having made its declaration, the House had nothing further to do with it.

Mr. Springer withdrew his motion and Mr. Cox, of New York, stating that the Constitution declared who had been elected President and Vice-President. moved to lay the resolution on the table. Agreed to-yeas, 135; nays.

Mr. Clay, of Kentucky, then offered the following concurrent resolution : Resolved, I. That two members of the House of Representative be ap-pointed by the House, and one member of the Senate, to be appointed by that body, to wait on Grover Cleveland, of the State of New York, and notify him that he has been duly elected President of the United States for four years, commencing with the 4th day of March, 1885 : and also to notify Thomas A. Hendricks, of the State of Indiana, that he has been duly elected Vice-President of the United States for four years. commencing with the 4th day of March.

2. That the President of the Senate do make out and sign a certificate in the words following : "Certificate of Election.—Be

known that the Senate and House of Representatives being convened in the city of Washington on the second Wednesday in February in the year of our 1885, the under-written, President of the Senate pro tempore, did, in the presence of said Senate and House of Representatives, open all the certificates, and all the votes of electors for Presi dent and Vice-President of the United States were then counted in the presence of the two houses; whereupon it appeared that Grover land, of the State of New York, had a majority of the votes of the electors as President and of the electors as President and Thomas A. Hendricks, of the State of The Dakota Assembly yesterday passed the woman's-suffrage bill by a vote of Indiana, had a majority of the votes of the electors as Vice-President; by all of which it appears that Grover Cleve-land, of the State of New York, has

bly to the Constitution, for the term of four years, beginning the 4th day of March, 1885, In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this — day of February, 1885, and have scaled with the seal of

been duly elected President, and that

Thomas A. Hendricks, of the State of

was in all precedents except the last two presidential elections. On the suggestion of Mr. Cox, of New York, the resolution was modified so as to make the committee consist of

three representatives and two senators.

Mr. Keifer said that the resolution was wholly unnecessary. It was not one of the essential things to the deter-mination of the result of the count of the electoral votes, but it was a matter of courtesy on the part of Congress, which witnessed the count, that the of-ficers who had been elected should have

proper notification.

Mr. J. D. Taylor, of Ohio, moved to lay the resolution on the table. Lostyeas, 38; nays, 108. Mr. Holman moved to amend by striking out all that part of the resolution having reference to the certificate

of election. Agreed to without divi-The resolution as amended was The House then resumed the co

eration of the business under the special sissippi, a bill was passed for the relief of Mary J. Vesey, of Mississippi. On motion of Mr. Tucker, of Virginia, a bill was passed removing the olitical disabilities of W. H. Murdaugh, of Virginia.

The House then, at 4:10 P. M., went

into Committee of the Whole-Mr. Springer in the chair-on the post-office appropriation bill.

Mr. Horr, of Michigan, offered an mendment increasing from \$4,100,000 to \$4,535,000 the appropriation for the

tter-carrier system. After considerable debate the amendment was agreed to by a vote of 100 to 64. Pending action, the committee rose. and the House adjourned until noon to-

Mine Explosion and Loss of Life

morrow.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.) HALIFAX, N. S., February 11 .- Last rening a violent explosion occurred at Vale colliery in a new slope which was being sunk at McBeam seam, at New Glasgow, and the flames from the burning gas came rushing up the main slope As soon as possible the manager at the mine descended the shaft, but was unable to get near any of the men in the mine, of whom there are supposed to have been about nineteen in the pit at the time of the disaster. After several efforts the rescuing party succeeded in reaching a party of seven men. who were brought to the surface, and with the exception of a few trifling bruises, were uninjured. Shortly be-fore daylight three bodies were found and brought up. One other man is known to be dead, and his body is still in the mine. All the horses, nine in number, in the mine were killed. The fire has been extinguished, and not

much damage has been done by it. Later.—It is now definitely ascer-tained that 22 men were in the Vale colliery at the time of the explosion. Of this number 13 perished. The others have been taken out alive. Some of them are badly injured.

Fatal Botler-Explosic

HARRISBURG, PA., February 11 .-The boiler at Cumbler's stone-quarry south of this city, exploded this afternoon, causing the death of two men and inflicting, possibly, fatal injury to another. The accident is said to have resulted from the supply to the boiler becoming frozen, thus cutting off the necessary amount of water. The men were in the boiler-house at the time. and were horribly mangled, portions of their bodies being picked up a hundred

Wreck of a Steamship.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] KEY WEST, FLA., February 11 .-The schooner Pocahontas arrived here to-day from Elbow reef, having on board Captain Duncan and part of the crew of the British steamship Acorn, from New York for Laguna, with a general cargo. The Acorn ran ashore on the night of the 8th instant, and in a short time her stern-post was knocked out and the vessel bilged, filling her with water up to the deck. The Pocahontas left wreckers in charge of the two mates saving the cargo. The grain with which the steamer was partly la-den will all be ruined by water, but some lard and oil will probably be saved. Captain Duncan will return to the wreck to-morrow, and will remain until the salvage is completed,

Miners in Distress.

PINLADELPHIA, February 11.-The distress existing in Manayunk, princi-pally caused by the closing of mills, is unparalleled in the history of the place Fully 10,000 people are out of employ ment. There is hardly a block in the place that has not dozens of people in it suffering for food and fuel, and many are threatened with ejection for nonpayment of rent. A relief society has been started, which has expended \$1,000, and it is anxious to have more Since January 17th \$800 worth of coal has been given out.

Railroad Accident. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.]
TROWERIDGE, MICH., February 11. The train on the Detroit, Lansing and Northern railroad, with Governor Alger, his private secretary, and a number of other passengers, jumped the track near here to-day, wrecking the tender of one of the engines, the baggage- and mail-car, and knocking the trucks from the smoker. A few passengers were bruised, out none seriously. The Governor was unhurt.

> Arrest of a Desperado. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

CHARLESTON, S. C., February 11 .-To-day Town-Marshal Creed, at Johnston, Edgefield county, was wounded by a negro named Mobley, whom he was attempting to arrest. Mobley then tried to kill a deputy policeman, who shot and mortally wounded him. Mobley is suspected of having committed a Failures.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] STAUNTON, VA., February 11.—J. R. Craig, dealer in notions and queensware, has assigned. Liabilities, \$5,000 assets not given. W. R. Tyree & Co. wholesale druggists, have also assigned. Liabilities, \$14,000; assets, \$23,000. Woman's Suffrage in Dakota. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] BISMARCK, DAK., February 11.-

29 to 18. A canvass of the Council indicates its passage by that body. Unsettetted Favor. "Permit me to add my unsolicited testimonial to your list," writes Mr. E. C. Palmer, North Monroeville, Huron

C. Palmer, North Monroeville, Huron county, Ohio. "My little boy, two years old, fell from a step and struck his forehead. A large black-and-blue bunch raised and swelled rapidly. We immediately applied St. Jacobs Oil, and the swelling and discoloration disappeared. We would not be without it, and have used it often with like effect." ONE-PRICE CLOTHIERS. BOOK AND JOB PRINTING PATCH PRINTING HOUSE.

LATE WEATHER REPORT. WASHINGTON, February 12cenerally fair weather, slowly rise emperature, variable winds, general rom south to west, lower barometer.

The Weather in Richmond Yesterde cas clear and cold.

6 A. M., 2 degrees below zero. At other places in the county 5 degrees above zero in sheltered places. In some poi tions of the city, northern exposures, Range of Thermometer Yesterday

The Farmers' Congress at New Or

Mean temperature. ...

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] NEW ORLEANS, February 11.—The Farmers' Congress held its second day's session to-day, with Vice-President Davis in the chair. A series of reso-lutions, which had been referred to the Committee on Resolutions, were sub mitted and adopted. Among these was one urging upon Congress the impera-tive necessity of the elevation of the Department of Agriculture to one of the chief executive departments of the Government; and another declaring it the duty of the General Government to care for and improve water-ways of the

A resolution on the Blair educational bill, and urging on Congress the advisi-bility of passing it, called forth considerable discussion on the manner of the division of the amount between the North and South, which resulted in its return to the Committee on Resolutions

Papers were read on the Improve ment of Poor Lands, by J. B. Wilson, of Georgia; the Relation of Capital and Labor to Taxation, by Robert Gates, of Tennessee; and the Importance of the National Department of Agriculture, by M. G. Ellegrew.

By telegraph to the Dispatch. CHATTANOOGA, February 11 .- The outhern Steamship and Railway Association met here to-day. An organiza-tion was effected late this evening. All the leading southern trunk lines are represented. The object of the meeting is to endeavor to adjust southern freight-rates, which have been very much demoralized for several months It is the prevailing opinion that rates will be restored. No action was taken on the subject to-day. The Association will remain in session to-morrow. Perished in the Flames

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)
CONCORD, OHIO, February 11.—A

house occupied by the family of Hiram Atkins was burned here yesterday, and to-day Atkins and two children were found burned to death. Atkins was an old and helpless invalid and his young wife left with a man represented as he brother a few hours after the fire. St. Louis, February 11.—A small detached building belonging to the county poor-house, three miles west of Monticello, Ill., was burned some time during Monday night, and three de

nented women, the only occupants of the building, perished in the flames. CHARLESTON, W. VA., February 11 .- An incendiary fire destroyed the Kanawha Hotel and two or three ad- at 85, 2,000 do at 85. joining houses early this morning. Richard McLaughlin, a tinner, who was sick in bed in the store-room of Walter Hanna, in the lower story of the hotel, was burned to death. Families in the hotel escaped with only their night-

nsurance, \$9,000.

Erewery Burned [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] ROCHESTER, N. Y., February 11.— At 4 o'clock this afternoon fire was discovered in the hop-room of the Genesee brewery. The main building was al- Lynchburg city 6's ... most totally destroyed. The intense cold interfered greatly with the work of Ches. and Ohio 6's, 1918... 23 the firemen. The loss is estimated at \$125,000 : insurance, \$55,000.

Fire in Atlanta.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]
ATLANTA, February 11.—The Leyden House, one of the landmarks of Atlanta, was burned to the ground tolandmarks of day. The origin of the fire is unknown. Loss, \$25,000; insurance, \$14,000.

The River-and-Harbor Bill.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]
WASHINGTON, February 11.—Senator Morgan to-day introduced a bill to make an appropriation for rivers and harbors. It is the same as the bill reported by Representative Willis fro the River-and-Harbor Committee of the House, except that the projected improvements of Sandy bay, Mass., and dalveston harbor, Texas, the propo construction of the Hennepin canal, and the provision making Captain Eads advisory engineer of the Mississippi-River Commission, are not included in the bill.

Suicide Caused by Grief. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] LOUISVILLE, February 11.—An Upton (Ky.) special to the Evening Times says : Last night William Dudgeon, living near Hammondsville, Hart cou ty, owing to grief over the death of his

wife and child, committed suicide by

HOW DELIGHTFUL (BECAUSE IT'S

CLOTHING ON RUNNERS !

cutting his throat.

SUCH A RARE LUXURY PROBABLY) IS A GOOD SLEIGH-RIDE-TO YOUNG AND OLD ALIKE-AND WHAT GLORIOUS SPORT IS COASTING FOR THE BOYS AND GIRLS. ONE SHOULD BE DRESS. ED WARMLY, HOWEVER, FOR SUCH HEALTHFUL AND ENJOYABLE AMUSE-MENTS, AND IF OUR READERS ONLY KNEW HOW CHEAPLY WE'RE SELL. ING GOOD AND FINE CLOTHING THEY'D ALL COME HERE TO-DAY FOR A STORM-COAT, WITH BIG, HIGH COL-LAR. AND LONG AND HEAVY ENOUGH TO KEEP YOUR LEGS WARM. OUR SHOWING OF THESE MOST COMFORT-ABLE GARMENTS FOR \$20 AND \$25 IS AS NEW AND VARIED AS IT IS CHEAP AND SPLENDID, FOR THESE COATS WOULD BE REASONABLE AT \$35 AND 840-HONEST. WE HAVE THEM. THOUGH, ALL THE WAY DOWN TO \$7.50-REAL WARM ONES, TOO.

WE HAVE MARKED ANOTHER CUT TO-DAY IN BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING, AND WE ARE SURE THAT NOWHERE CAN YOU FIND SUCH LOW FIGURES FOR FIRST-CLASS CLOTHING AS YOU CAN HERE. A. SAKS & CO.,

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. NEW YORK STOCK MARKET. New York, February 11.—The sture of to-day's stock market has cen the strength and activity devel-ed in New York Central and Lake

air weather, light, variable winds, low

Shore, accompanied by reports that Vanderbilt had again entered the mar-ket as a buyer of those stocks. Another rumor was that Worrishoffer was making an earnest effort to see controlling interest in New York Cen-tral. Neither story was confirmed or denied, but New York Central, which opened 1 lower, made steady advar during the day, and closed 21 hig Lake Shore shows a gain of 11. rest of the active market with a rest of the active market with a few exceptions shows gains of fall, the course of prices following pretty closely that of the stocks already mentioned. Lackawanna, Union Pacific, Northwostern, and St. Paul were also very active, but the gain in these stocks was only from † to ‡. Among the less active stocks Pacific Mail closed 1½ higher; Michigan Central 1 higher; Western Union, Manhattan, and Missouri Pacific Union, Manhattan, and Miss inchanged; and Northern Pacific com-

mon, Quincy, and Central Pacific each of 4. Sales, 378,000 shares.

Noon.—Stocks strong. Money, 1
per cent. Exchange—Long, 483a4834;
short, 486a4864. Governments strong. States dull.

States dull.

Ecening.—Exchange, 4834. Money,
1 per cent. Sub-Treasury balances—
Gold, \$130,432; currency, \$22,348. Governments dull; 4 per cents,
1224; 3 per cents, 1014 bid. State
bonds neglected.

Alabama—Class A, 2 to 5,...(bid) 87

B, 5's, sm'll (bid) 102

B, 5's, sm'll (bid) 102

Georgia 6's..... .. (bid) 100 .. (bid) 102} Georgia 7's, mortgage . North Carolina's ... North Carolina's, new North Carolina funding South Carolina Brown con . . (bid) 107 Tennessee 6's Virginia consols...... Chesapeake and Ohio. . (bid) Chicago and Northwestern Chicago and Northwestern p'fd., 129 Denver and Rio Grande . . . East Tennessee Railroad. Lake Shore.....Louisville and Nashville Memphis and Charleston... Mobile and Ohio...... Nashville and Chattanooga New Orleans Pacific 1st mort. . . New York Central, Norfolk and Western pref. Northern Pacific Northern Pacific pref. ... Pacific Mail Reading ...

Texas Pacific..... Union Pacific..... Wabash Pacific.... Wabash Pacific preferred,

BALTIMORE BALTIMORE, February 11 .- Virginia 6's, consols, 41\(\frac{1}{4}\); past-due coupons, 52\(\frac{1}{4}\); new 10-40's, 34; new 3's, 31. North Carolina 6's, old, 108\(\frac{1}{4}\). Bid to-

Richmond and Alleghany ...

St. Paul preferred.....

Western Union.

Richmond and Danville.(bid)

Rich, and West Point Terminal ...

RICHMOND STOCK EXCHANGE. WEDNESDAY, February 11, 1885. SALES .- 100 Richmond city 6's at 1131; 3,500 Southside third 6's, due

Virginia 10-40's...... 34 35 Virginia consols 41 Virginia peelers..... 514 52 unchanged. Wheat tame; No. 2 Milclothing. The total loss is \$12,000; Va. con. tax-rec. coup., '83, 43 waukee, cash, 76a78c. Corn quiet; North Carolina 4's ... North Carolina 6's. .1094CITY BONDS. 132 Richmond city 8's 113 1139 Richmond city 6's. Richmond city 5's .. .1043 1054

103 RAILROAD BONDS. Col. & Greenville 1st 6's., 95 Col. & Green. 2d 6's 67

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Va. Midland income 6's ... Piedmont R. R. 1st 8's ... Southside 3d mt. pref. 6's... 1021 Nor. and Pet. 2d mort. 8's,110 Petersburg Class A, 5's,..., 92 R. and D. con. 6's, 1885....101 R. and D. con. 6's, 1890 1621 R. and D. gold 6's R. and D. debentures R. and Alle. 1st mort. 7's. 514 Atlanta and Charlotte 7's., 109 A. and C. inc. 6's C., C. and A. 1st mort, 7's, 106

C., C. and A. 2d 7's.......... 93 Western N. Carolina 7's...108 Georgia Pacific 1st 6's 92 RAILROAD STOCKS. Par. R., F. & P. div. scrip... 100 45 R., F. & P. 6 p. c. guar. 100 115 R., F. & P. 7 p. c. guar. 100 130 Col. & Greenville pref. 100 Rich. & Petersburg... 100 Petersburg Railroad 100 Richmond and Danville 100 Rich. & Alleghany....100 Char., Col. & Augusta.100 21

Atlanta & Charlotte 100 North Carolina..... .100 BANKS. National Bank of Va... 100 State Bank of Va. 100 104 INSURANCE COS. Virginia State.....

Virginia Home,

RYE .- 10 bushels.

GRAIN AND COTTON EXCHANGE. RICHMOND, February 11, 1885: OFFERINGS.

25 17

WHEAT .- White, 112 bu Mixed, 100 bushels. Red, 142 bush-els. Total, 354 bushels. CORN .- White, 2,528 bushels. ed, 1,300 bushels. OATS .- 490 bushels.

MEAL .- 16 bushels. PEAS .- 14 bushels. SALES REPORTED TO SECRETARY. WHEAT.-White, 36 bushels fair at 90c. Mixed, 100 bushels common at 85c. Red, 40 bushels prime Long-berry at 98c.; 62 bushels common to very good Shortberry at 75 to 90c. Conn.—White, 98 bushels very good

on private terms.

RYE.—10 bushels good at 63c.

MEAL.—16 bushels country-boltes

We quote: Fine, \$2.25a\$2.50; super-ine, \$2.25a\$3; extra, \$3.50a\$3.90; amily, \$4.25a\$5; patent family, ountry, \$5a\$5.25. Market firmer

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Corn—Spot a trific better; Ms. 2, and February, 50x50/p. Octor a lower; No. 2, 364a37c. Hope Coffee—Spot fair; Rio quiet et a. No. 7 Rio, spot, 97.90; February, 50x50/p. Sugar firm and questioned firm; mould A, 61c.; stan A, 5 13-16c.; confectioners A, computated Turpentine steady at 30 ja 30 jc. Hide quiet. Wool firm. Pork firm; spot. \$14a\$14.12 j. Middles firm Lard opened very steady, closing heav and dull; western steam, spot. \$7.37 j \$7.40; February, \$7.31. Freights dull

BALTIMORE.

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BALTIMORE. February 11.—Floor quiet and in instances easier; Howard-Street and western superfine. \$2.75a
\$3.15; extra, \$3.25a\$3.75; family, \$3.87a\$4.75; City Mills superfine, \$2.25a\$3.15; extra, \$3.25a\$3.75; Rie brands, \$4.75. Wheat—Southern scarce and firm; western about steady and dell' southern red, 95a\$96c.; amber, 97a\$9c.; No. 1 Maryland, 93\\$a\$94c.; No. 2 western winter red, spot, 89a\$94c. Coro—Southern higher; white firm; western easier and dull; southern white, \$7a\$9c.; yellow, \$2a\$3c. Oats steady and dull; southern, 35a\$8c.; western white, 37a\$8c.; mixed, 34a\$96c.; Pennsylvania, 34c. Provisions steady and quiet. Mess pork—Old, \$13.50; new, \$13.75. Bulk-meats—Shoulders and clear-rib sides, packed, 6 and 7\{c}c. Bacor—Shoulders, 6\{c}c.; clear-rib sides, \$4c. Hams, 12\{a}a\$13c. Lard—Refined, \$4c. Coffee dull and nominal; Rieses 84c. Hams, 123a13c. Lard—Refined, 84c. Coffee dull and nominal; Rie cargoes, ordinary to fair, 8a94. steady and quiet; A soft, 64c. Whiskey quiet and nominally steady \$1.20a\$1.21. Freights quiet.

CINCINNATI.

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CINCINNATI, February 11.—Flour unchanged. Wheat strong; No. 2 red, 86a87c. Corn strong; No. 2 mixed, 42a43c. Oats unsettled; No. 2 mixed, 32a3c. Pork dull and nominal at \$15. Bulk-meats unchanged. Bacon steady and unchanged. Wniskey steady at \$1.13. Sugar unchanged. Hoga firm; common and light, \$3.90a\$5; packing and butchers', \$4.60a\$5.25. LOUISVILLE. LOUISVILLE, February 11.—Grain firm. Wheat—No. 2 red, 85c. Corn— No. 2 white, 45c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 334c. Provisions quiet. Bulk-ments— Shoulders, \$5; clear rib, \$6.75. Bacon—

Shoulders, \$5.50; clear rib, \$7.25. ST. LOUIS.

Others unchanged.

ST. Louis, February 11 .- Flour dull. Wheat opened higher; closed lale, below yesterday; No. 2 red, 85 jc. cash, 85]a85]c. February. Corn steady and slow; 36a36]c. cash, 36ja36]c. Feb-ruary. Oats firmer; 29ja30c. cash. Whiskey unchanged. Provisions firm. Pork, \$13.374. Bulk-meats — Long clear. \$6.50; short rib, \$6.60; clear, \$6.85. Bacon—Long clear, \$7a\$7.25; short rib, \$7.25a\$7.37\(\frac{1}{2}\); clear, \$7.50a \$7.624. Lard, \$7.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, February 11 .- Plour unchanged. Wheat dull and without material change; February, 771a781c. Corn very dull and closed a shade casier; cash, 364a37c.; February, 364a364c. Oats dull; February, nominal at 27c. Mess pork irregular and 1134; 3,500 Southside third 6's, due closed steady; cash, \$13.05a\$13.10.

'96, at 103; 3,000 Petersburg Class B at 85, 2,000 do at 85.

STATE SECURITIES. Bid. Asked.
Virginia 10-40's. 34 35 \$1.15. Sugars steady and unchanged.

> No. 3, 39c. Oats dull; No. 2 white 291c. Provisions easier. Mess-pork, \$13.10 cash and March. Lard--Prime steam, \$7.03 cash and February. Sweet-

MILWAUKEE.

MILWAUKEE, February 11 .- Plour

pickled hams firm at 8149 c. Hogs steady at \$4.50u\$5. WILMINGTON. . WILMINGTON, N. C., February 11. Turpentine quiet at 27c. Rosin firm ; strained, 974c.; good, \$1. Tar firm at \$1.10. Crude turpentine steady; hard, \$1.15; yellow-dip and virgin, \$1.75.

COTTON MARKETS. NORFOLK, VA., February 11 .- Cotton steady; middling, 10 13-16c. Net receipts, 747 bales; gross receipts, 747 bales; stock, 24,413 bales; sales,

WILMINGTON, N. C., February 11.—Cotton steady; middling, 101c. Net receipts, 134 bales; gross receipts, 134 bales; sales, —.
SAVANNAH, GA., February 11.—
Cotton firm; middling, 10 9-16e. Net receipts, 996 bales; gross receipts, 996 bales; sales, 200 bales; stock,

53,453 bales. AUGUSTA, GA., February 11 .-- Cotton quiet; middling, 104c. Receipts, 71 bales; shipments, —; sales, 347 bales. CHARLESTON, S. C., February 11 .-

Cotton in good demand; middling, 10%c. Net receipts, 529 bales; gross receipts, 529 bales; sales, 150 bales; stock, 34,237 bales. NEW YORK COTTON FUTURES. NEW YORK COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, February 11.—Cotton—Net receipts, 1,384 bales; gross receipts, 1,899 bales. Futures closed dull and steady; sales, 22,300 bales; February, \$11.14a\$11.15; March, \$11.20a\$11.21; April, \$11.28a\$11.29; May, \$11.38a\$11.39; June, \$11.45a\$11.50; July, \$11.59a\$11.60; August, \$11.30; October, \$10.80a\$10.85; Nevember and December, \$10.68a\$10.70.

NORFOLK PEANUT MARKET. [Reported for the Dispa

NORFOLK, February 11 .- Per Best hand-picked, 5c. per pound; extra hand-picked, 34c. per pound; other grades, 3a34c. per pound. Market quiet. Receipts, 11,347 bags. Receipts since October 1st, 217,236 bags. ock, 57,508 bags.

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